

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the instant application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1-18. (Cancelled)

19. (Currently Amended)

A method for vehicle navigation comprising the steps of:
accessing a publicly accessible Web site using a computing device that is remote from a vehicle;

identifying within said Web site at least one destination in response to a user input specifying a trip itinerary, the at least one destination corresponding to at least one of a lodging, dining establishment, predetermined sightseeing attraction, road hazard, and detour, each identified within said Web site in response to and based upon the specified trip itinerary;

automatically determining navigation information for said destination, wherein at least a portion of said navigation information includes geographic coordinates for said destination as well as trip information indicating locations of and information pertaining to dining establishments, predetermined sightseeing attractions, and lodging accommodations corresponding to the user-specified trip itinerary;

storing said navigation information in a memory, wherein said memory is remote from said vehicle;

providing a portable storage media, wherein said memory is within said portable storage media;

transferring said portable storage media to a self-contained, in-vehicle navigation device in order to transfer said navigation information;

determining whether a data format of said navigation information conforms to data requirements of said in-vehicle navigation device prior to transferring said navigation information; and

converting said data format of said navigation information to an alternate data format prior to transferring said navigation information if said data format does not conform to data requirements of said in-vehicle navigation device.

20-25. (Cancelled)

26. (Currently Amended) A machine-readable storage having stored thereon, a computer program having a plurality of code sections, said code sections executable by a machine for causing the machine to perform the steps of:

accessing a publicly accessible Web site using a computing device that is remote from a vehicle;

identifying within said Web site at least one destination in response to a user input specifying a trip itinerary, the at least one destination corresponding to at least one of a lodging, dining establishment, predetermined sightseeing attraction, road hazard, and detour, each identified within said Web site in response to and based upon the specified trip itinerary;

automatically determining navigation information for said destination, wherein at least a portion of said navigation information includes geographic coordinates for said destination as well as trip information indicating locations of and information pertaining to dining establishments, predetermined sightseeing attractions, and lodging accommodations corresponding to the user-specified trip itinerary;

storing said navigation information in a memory, wherein said memory is remote from said vehicle;

providing a portable storage media, wherein said memory is within said portable storage media;

transferring said portable storage media to a self-contained, in-vehicle navigation device in order to transfer said navigation information;

determining whether a data format of said navigation information conforms to data requirements of said in-vehicle navigation device prior to transferring said navigation information; and

converting said data format of said navigation information to an alternate data format prior to transferring said navigation information if said data format does not conform to data requirements of said in-vehicle navigation device.